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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

BASSLER et al.

Customer No.

26817

Serial No. 10/802,425

Group Art Unit: 1636

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Examiner: Michele K. Joike

Title: COMPOUNDS AND METHODS FOR REGULATING BACTERIAL

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Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 26, 2008, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows: